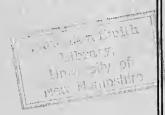
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OF THE

# TOWN OF EPSOM

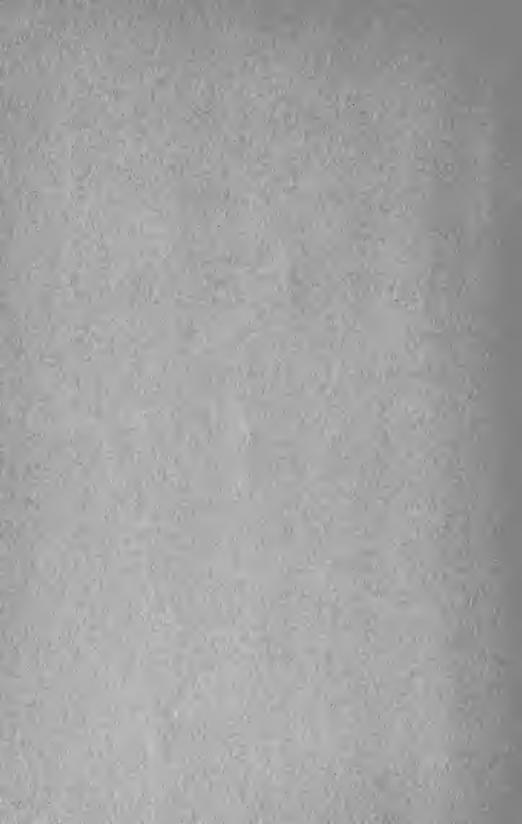
**NEW HAMPSHIRE** 





FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1937

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## ANNUAL REPORTS

OF THE

#### **TOWN OFFICERS**

OF THE

# TOWN OF EPSOM

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JANUARY 31, 1937



BRIDGE & BYRON CONCORD, N. H. 1937

#### TOWN OFFICERS

#### Moderator

#### WALTER H. TRIPP

#### Selectmen

GEORGE E. HUCKINS, WILLIAM E. YEATON, GEORGE H. YEATON, Term expires 1937 Term expires 1938 Term expires 1939

#### Town Clerk

#### MAURICE C. PHILBRICK

#### Treasurer

OLAF A. RING

## Representative to General Court

LEWIS H. NUTTER

#### Collector of Taxes

CHARLES M. STEELE

#### Highway Agents

JOHN P. YEATON, ELDON W. HOWARD,

District No. 1 District No. 2

#### Supervisors of Check List

WALTER B. WELLS

KARL F. RAND

HAROLD S. BICKFORD

#### Ballot Inspectors

ARTHUR H. SULLIVAN GEORGE H. HAYNES LOUIS A. DEMERS ELBRIDGE M. BARTLETT

#### Constable

#### HENRY DOWST

#### Library Trustees

MARGERY C. YEATON, FLORENCE L. YEATON, GEORGE G. RING, Term expires 1937 Term expires 1938 Term expires 1939

#### Auditors

LEWIS H. NUTTER

RUSSELL S. YEATON

#### Librarian

#### HESTER E. BICKFORD

#### Cemetery Trustees and Trustees of Trust Funds

ELEANORA C. NUTTER, ARTHUR A. WELLS, EDWIN L. BUNKER, Term expires 1937 Term expires 1938 Term expires 1939

#### Forest Fire Warden

HAROLD S. BICKFORD Telephone Chichester 12-23

#### Deputy Forest Fire Wardens

ARTHUR A. WELLS Tel. Chi. 9-31 ARTHUR H. SULLIVAN Tel. Chi. 11-33

ERNEST G. DOWST Tel. Chi. 4-5 ALBERT D. SHERBURNE Tel. Chi. 8-15

ALMON M. WORTH

Health Officer WALTER B. WELLS

Overseer of the Poor GEORGE H. YEATON

Fire Department Officers Chief

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT Tel. Chi. 8-23

Deputy Chiefs

Tel. Chi. 12-23

HAROLD S. BICKFORD MILLARD J. YEATON Tel. Chi. 8-3

> JOSEPH SANTA PAULA Tel. Chi. 10-31

> > Lieutenants

ARTHUR H. SULLIVAN WALTER A. SAWYER Tel. Chi. 11-33

Tel. Chi. 13-21

FRANK E. HURD Tel. Chi. 4-2

Secretary HENRY DOWST

Treasurer

FRED W. YEATON

Trustees

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

Park Commissioners

BLANCHARD H. FOWLER BENJAMIN M. TOWLE GROVER T. STEVENS

#### Officers of School District Moderator WALTER H. TRIPP

#### Clerk

FLORENCE L. YEATON

## Superintendent of Schools CHESTER W. DOE

#### School Board

MILLARD J. YEATON,	Term expires 1937
WARREN T. FOWLER,	Term expires 1938
ELEANORA C. NUTTER,	Term expires 1939

#### Treasurer

MARY E. Q. PHILBRICK

#### Auditor

SOPHRONIA Y. WELLS

## Truant Officer WALTER B. WELLS

#### Budget Committee

EDWARD B. DEMERS,	Term expires 1937
LAURA Y. BICKFORD,	Term expires 1937
OLIVER C. LOMBARD,	Term expires 1937
GEORGE E. HUCKINS,	Member Board of Selectmen
MILLARD J. YEATON,	Member School Board
LEWIS H. NUTTER,	Term expires 1938
ALBERT J. YEATON,	Term expires 1938
WALTER J. PHILBRICK	, resigned, Term expires 1938
WILLIAM H. KNOWLES	s, appointed Term expires 1937
HENRY DOWST,	Term expires 1939
HARRY SILVER,	Term expires 1939
CHARLES M. STEELE,	Term expires 1939

#### STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the inhabitants of the Town of Epsom in the County of Merrimack in said State, qualified to vote in town affiairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Epsom, on Tuesday, the ninth day of March, next, at nine of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
- 2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same in accordance with House Bill No. 234, as passed by the Legislature of 1935 and as submitted by the Budget Committee.
  - 3. Is it expedient to revise the Constitution?
- 4. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the North East Road, so-called, leading from Northwood to Pittsfield.
- 5. To see if the town will vote to allow a discount of two per cent on all property taxes paid previous to July 1, 1937.
- 6. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow such sums of money as may be necessary in anticipation of taxes.

7. To transact any other business that may legally be brought before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and thirty-seven.

GEORGE E. HUCKINS, WILLIAM E. YEATON, GEORGE H. YEATON, Selectmen of Epsom.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

GEORGE E. HUCKINS, WILLIAM E. YEATON, GEORGE H. YEATON, Selectmen of Epsom.

# BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous

Sources of Revenue	Actual revenue previous year, 1936	ensuing	Increase Decrease
FROM STATE: Interest and Dividends Tax Insurance Tax Railroad Tax Savings Bank Tax Bounties	28.88 $50.27$ $1,382.75$	$\begin{array}{c} \$67.99 \\ 28.88 \\ 50.27 \\ 1,200.00 \\ 6.00 \end{array}$	\$182.75 .20
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES: Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits		500.00	297.03
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN PROPERTY TAXES: (a) Poll Taxes		$806.00 \\ 15.00$	
TOTAL REVENUES FROM ALL SOURCES EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES		2,674.14	
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY PROPERTY TAXES		24,143.21	
TOTAL REVENUES		\$26,817.35	

EPSOM, NEW HAMPSHIRE

## Year, February 1, 1937, to January 31, 1938, Compared with Year, February 1, 1936, to January 31, 1937.

Purposes of Expenditures	Actual expenditures previous year, 1936	Estimated expenditure ensuing year, 1937		Decrease
CURRENT MAINTENANCE				
EXPENSES: General Government:				
Town Officers' Salaries Town Officers' Expenses Election and Registration	$$815.00 \\ 503.93$	$\begin{array}{c} \$750.00 \\ 425.00 \end{array}$		\$65.00 78.93
Expenses	11.75	11.75		
Office and Officers' Supplies Expenses Town Hall and Other	296.81	275.00		21.81
Town Buildings Protection of Persons and	54.78	175.00	\$120.22	
Property:				
Police Department	295.06	250.00		45.06
Fire Department	349.14	375.00	25.86	<b>7</b> 0.00
Insurance and Bonding	476.80	400.00		76.80
Health: Health Department, including				
Hospitals	6.77	50.00	43.23	
Vital Statistics	13.00	15.00	2.00	
Highways annd Bridges:				
Town Maintenance	2,193.36	2,000.00		193.36
Snow Removal General Expenses of Highway	1,093.75	1,000.00		93.75
Department	626.82	600.00		26.82
Class V Maintenance	400.00	400.00	5.50	
Libraries:	548.99	554.49	5.50	
Libraries	320.00	200.00		120.00
Town Poor	1,951.73	2.000.00	48.27	
Old Age Assistance	662.78	700.00	37.22	
Patriotic Purposes:  Memorial Day aund Other				
Celebrations	50.00	60.00	10.00	
Recreation: Parks and Playgrounds, in-				
cluding band concerts	4.33	100.00	95.67	
Interest:	208.33	200.00		8.33
On Temporary Loans On Long Term Notes	$\frac{208.33}{413.72}$	325.00		88.72
INDEBTEDNESS:	110.12	020.00		00
Payment on Principal of Debt:				
(b) Long Term Notes	1,736.83	1,811.83	75.00	
PAYMENTS TO OTHER GOVERN-	-,	_,		
MENTAL DIVISIONS:				
State Taxes	2,560.00	2,560.00		
County Taxes	3,381.46	3,381.46		
Payments to School Districts	9,720.94	8,197.82		1,523.12
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$28,696.08 \$	326,817.35	\$462.97	\$2,341.70
EDWARD B. DEMERS, LAURA Y. BICKFORD, OLIVER C. LOMBARD, HARRY SILVER, WILLIAM H. KNOWLES, GEORGE E. HUCKINS,	LEWIS ALBERY CHARL	RD J. YEATO H. NUTTER F J. YEATO! ES M. STEE DOWST, Budget	,	ee.

#### APPROPRIATIONS FOR 1936

Town officers' salaries	\$800.00
Town officers' expenses	350.00
Election and registration	11.75
Town hall expenses	100.00
Police department	250.00
Fire department	375.00
Health department	50.00
Vital statistics	15.00
Town road maintenance	2,000.00
Improved Class V roads maintenance	400.00
Snow removal	1,000.00
General expense of highway department	1,000.00
Insurance and bonding	525.00
Libraries	320.00
Supplies for office and officers	300.00
Old age assistance	900.00
Town poor	1,200.00
Memorial Day	50.00
Interest	600.00
Payment on principal of debt	1,758.00
Class V road construction	548.99
County tax	3,381.46
State tax	2,560.00
School appropriation	8,529.94
Total Town and School appropriations	\$27,025.14

#### SELECTMEN'S REPORT

#### Inventory for 1936

			±000 000 00
Land and Buildings			\$629,900.00
Electric Plants			16,800.00
Horses		111	9,750.00
Oxen		26	1,850.00
Cows		394	23,960.00
Neat		61	2,725.00
Sheep		16	80.00
$\operatorname{Hog}$		1	20.00
Fowl		$16,\!295$	16,096.00
Fur bearing animals		6	150.00
Portable Mills		6	550.00
Wood and Lumber			9,200.00
Gasoline Pumps and	l'anks		3,350.00
Stock in Trade			19,175.00
Mills and Machinery			4,050.00
Total valuation			\$737,656.00
Soldiers' exemption	/		10,940.00
Valuation on which ta Tax rate \$3.45 on \$10			\$726,716.00
Poll taxes \$800.00.	100		
National Bank stock	tax \$15.00.		

#### Assets

Balance in treasury	\$4,092.86
Uncollected taxes for 1936	4,054.59
State Treasurer, bounties	5.60
Merrimack County, aid to poor	87.81

George E. Huckins, snow removal money	265.16
177 Shares Suncook Valley R. R. stock	885.00
Land bought for taxes	725.61
Total assets	\$10,116.63
Liabilities	
Due School District, bal. 1936 appropriation	\$4,229.94
Dog licenses on hand January 31, 1937	288.40
Due George H. Yeaton, relief money	257.67
Due Suncook Bank, on bridge note	1,605.16
State of New Hampshire, balance of highway	
loan	6,379.02
Balance Class V money unexpended	292.81
Total liabilities	\$13,053.00
Assets	10,116.63
Net debt of town	\$2,936.37
Decrease of debt	\$3,186.35

#### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, land and buildings	\$3,000.00
Furniture and equipment	400.00
Library, land and buildings	1,500.00
Furniture and equipment	3,000.00
Police Department, land, building, and equip-	
$\mathbf{ment}$	100.00

Highway Department, tractor house and land	250.00
Tractor and snow plow	1,000.00
Tool house	750.00
Tools and machinery	1,500.00
Stone watering troughs	150.00
Webster Park	2,500.00
Schools, land, buildings and equipment	8,000.00
Fire Department, fire truck, equipment and	
hose	2,500.00
	\$24,650.00

#### TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

#### For the Year Ending January 31, 1937

#### Receipts

\$693.95
103.08
288.40
2.00
\$1,087.43
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<b>\$</b> 693.95
103.08
288.40
2.00
<b>\$1,087.43</b>

#### M. C. PHILBRICK,

Town Clerk.

# REPORT OF CHARLES M. STEELE, COLLECTOR OF TAXES, 1936

Redemption, balance heirs S. R.	Yeaton in-	
cluding interest		\$100.00
Redemption, Ralph L. Pickard,	including	
interest		72.00
Committed for Collection 1936:		
Property taxes	\$25,658.53	
Polls 400 at \$2.00	800.00	
Added polls 12	24.00	
Bank stock taxes	15.00	
Interest, 1936 taxes	26.98	
		\$26,524.51
Paid to Treasurer:		
Property taxes	\$21,443.27	
403 Poll taxes	806.00	
2 Poll taxes abated	4.00	
Property taxes abated	27.44	
Discounts	147.23	
Bank stock taxes	15.00	
Interest, 1936 taxes	26.98	
Uncollected polls 7	14.00	
Uncollected property taxes	4,040.59	

\$26,524.51

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES M. STEELE,
Collector.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of Charles M. Steele, Collector of Taxes, and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

> LEWIS H. NUTTER, RUSSELL S. YEATON,

> > Auditors.

Epsom, N. H., February 8, 1937.

#### TREASURER'S REPORT

#### Receipts

Cash on hand, February 1, 1936	\$2,763.55
The Suncook Bank, temporary loan	5,000.00
C. N. Huckins, reimbursement on R. C. pipe	24.48
Edson C. Eastman Co., refund on bill	2.10
County Treasurer, aid of county poor	1,479.95
County Treasurer, soldiers' aid	19.05
County Treasurer, welfare	5.00
State Treasurer, reimbursement flood damage	997.92
State Treasurer, reimbursement for relief	698.18
State Treasurer, bounties on hedgehogs	6.20
State Treasurer, tax on interest and dividends	67.99
State Treasurer, savings bank tax	1,382.75
State Treasurer, insurance tax	28.88
State Treasurer, railroad tax	50.27
M. C. Philbrick, Town Clerk 1936-37 auto tax	797.03
M. C. Philbrick, Town Clerk, 1936-37 dog licenses	288.40
M. C. Philbrick, Town Clerk, candidate fees	2.00
E. L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 taxes	4,602.27

E. L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 interest on taxes	250.31
E. L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 tax redemptions	134.95
E. L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 extra tax	2.00
C. M. Steele, Collector, 1936 taxes	$22,\!427.94$
C. M. Steele, Collector, 1936 interst on taxes	26.98
C. M. Steele, Collector, 1936 redemptions	172.00
C. M. Steele, Collector, 1936 bank stock tax	15.00
Total receipts Paid Selectmen's orders No. 813 to 1080 inclu-	\$41,245.20
sive, total expenses	37,152.34
Balance in treasury, February 1, 1937	\$4,092.86

Respectfully submitted,

O. A. Ring,

Treasurer.

#### SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

Balance in treasury, February 1, 1936	\$2,763.55
State Treasurer, reimbursement:	
Flood damage	997.92
For relief	698.18
State Treasurer, bounty on hedgehogs	6.20
State Treasurer, tax on interest and dividends	67.99
State Treasurer, savings bank tax	1,382.75
State Treasurer, insurance tax	28.88
State Treasurer, railroad tax	50.27
County Treasurer, aid of county poor	1,479.95
County Treasurer, aid to soldiers	19.05
County Treasurer, welfare money	5.00
Charles M. Steele, Collector, 1936 taxes	22,427.94
Charles M. Steele, Collector, 1936 interest on	
taxes	26.98
Charles M. Steele, Collector, 1936 bank stock	
taxes	15.00
Charles M. Steele, Collector, 1936 Tax redemp-	
tions	172.00
Edwin L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 taxes	4,602.27
Edwin L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 interest on	
taxes	250.31
Edwin L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 tax redemp-	
tions	134.95
Edwin L. Bunker, Collector, 1935 extra tax	2.00
Maurice C. Philbrick, Town Clerk, 1936 and	
1937 automobile tax	797.03
Maurice C. Philbrick, Town Clerk, 1936 and	
1937 dog licenses	288.40

Maurice C. Philbrick, Town Clerk, candidate	
fees	2.00
Edson C. Eastman Co., refund on bill	2.10
Charles N. Huckins, reimbursement on R. C.	
pipe	24.48
The Suncook Bank, temporary loan in antic-	
ipation of taxes	5,000.00
<u>-</u>	
Total receipts	\$41,245.20

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. HUCKINS, WILLIAM E. YEATON, GEORGE H. YEATON, Selectmen.

#### SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

General Government:		
Town officers' salaries	\$815.00	
Town officers' expenses	504.93	
Town hall expenses	54.78	
Election and registration	11.75	
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		\$1,386.46
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police department	\$295.06	
Fire department	349.14	
Insurance and bonding	476.00	
-		\$1,120.20
Health and Sanitation:		
Health department	\$6.77	
Vital statistics	13.00	
-		\$19.77
		,
Highways and Bridges:		
Town roads	\$2,593.36	
General expense of highway dept.	626.82	
Snow removal	1,093.75	
T. R. A.	330.36	
Flood damage	658.80	
_		\$5,303.09

Education: Libraries	\$320.00	
		\$320.00
Charities:		
Town poor	\$2,649.91	
County poor	1,345.94	
Old age assistance	662.78	
		\$4,658.63
Patriotic Purposes and Recreation:		
Memorial Day	\$50.00	
Webster Park	4.33	
	•	\$54.33
Abatements Refunded:		
Abatements	\$239.02	
		\$239.02
Supplies and Printing:		
Office supplies and town reports	\$296.81	
		\$296.81
Interest:		
Interest	\$616.46	
		\$616.46

Bounties: 28 Hedgehogs	\$5.60	
		\$5.60
Real Estate Bought for Taxes: Amount	\$570.74	<b>6570.74</b>
		\$570.74
Indebtedness:		
Payment on temporary loans	\$5,000.00	
Payments on highway note	1,736.83	
		\$6,736.83
Payments to Other Governmental I	Divisions:	
Schools	\$10,035.34	
State tax	2,560.00	
County tax	3,381.46	
		\$15,976.80

#### DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

#### Detail 1 — Salaries of Town Officers

George E. Huckins, Selectman	\$125.00
William E. Yeaton, Selectman	100.00
George H. Yeaton, Selectman	100.00
Olaf A. Ring, Treasurer	75.00
Maurice C. Philbrick, Town Clerk	50.00
Walter B. Wells, Supervisor	30.00
Harold S. Bickford, Supervisor	30.00
Karl F. Rand, Supervisor	30.00
George H. Haynes, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Louis A. Demers, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Arthur H. Sullivan, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Elbridge M. Bartlett, Ballot Clerk	9.00
Walter H. Tripp, Moderator	9.00
Henry Dowst, Constable	5.00
Walter B. Wells, Health Officer	5.00
Edwin L. Bunker, Tax Collector, 1935	50.00
Charles M. Steele, Tax Collector, 1936	150.00
Russell S. Yeaton, Auditor	10.00
Lewis H. Nutter, Auditor	10.00

\$815.00

### Detail 2 — Town Officers' Expenses

George E. Huckins,	mileage,	time,	
cash paid out			\$68.84
William E. Yeaton,	mileage,	time,	
telephone			12.73

George H. Yeaton, mileage, time, cash		
paid out	53.01	
Maurice C. Philbrick, issuing auto		
permits and office expense	89.88	
Olaf A. Ring, mileage and postage	30.09	
George H. Yeaton, mileage, time,		
telephone, Overseer of the Poor ex-		
pense	88.00	
Murchie, Murchie & Blandin, legal		
services	75.00	
Henry Dowst, collecting dog licenses	17.28	
Katherine A. Crowley, searching		
records	13.20	
Charles M. Steele, attending State		
Tax Commission meeting	3.00	
Edwin L. Bunker, withdrawing trust		
funds and attending State Tax		
Commission meeting	7.50	
Hazel A. Steele, copying records	10.00	
Marjorie A. Yeaton, copying reports	5.00	
A. W. Rowell, assessor's dues	2.00	
I. Eugene Keeler, list of estates	.60	
Lewis H. Nutter, showing lumber lot	2.00	
Brown & Saltmarsh, repairing type-		
writer and adding machine	13.00	
Burt D. Young, postage	7.40	
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies	6.40	
		\$504.93
Detail 3 — Town Hall Ex	penses	
Concord Electric Co., lights	\$19.93	
Albert J. Yeaton, brick and trucking	6.10	

Bickford & Huckins Silver & Young	23.00 5.00	
Hazel A. Steele, stove pipe	.75	
	·	\$54.78
Detail 4 — Election and Regis	stration	
Valley Times, printing ballots	\$11.75	
		\$11.75
Detail 5 — Police Departr	nent	
Concord Electric Co., traffic light	\$45.60	
Lewis H. Nutter, wood for tramp house	6.00	
Susie J. Hardy, care of tramp	2.00	
William H. Knowles, supplies for tramps	4.05	
Walter H. Quimby, 2 saws, 1 ax for		
tramp house	2.00	
Walter A. Sawyer, care of traffic		
$\operatorname{light}$	10.00	
Silver & Young, supplies for traffic		
$\operatorname{light}$	5.14	
George H. Yeaton, assistance in tak-		
ing tramps to County Farm and		
and police station	2.00	
George E. Huckins	9.57	
Bickford & Huckins, wood for tramp		
house	34.00	
Walter B. Wells, police work	3.00	
William E. Yeaton, police work	1.50	
Thompson & Hoague, supplies for		
traffic light	1.80	

Albert J. Yeaton, wood for tramp	
house	11.00
Albert J. Yeaton, conveying tramps	
to County Farm and police station	13.00
Albert J. Yeaton, lodging 361 tramps	144.40

\$295.06

#### Detail 6 — Fire Department

Demers & Steele, supplies for fire	
truck	\$6.26
Clarence T. Cox, care of station	
house fire	15.00
Clara A. Tasker, coal for station	
house	34.80
Ralph H. Stanton, watching fire	3.00
Eldon W. Howard, watching fire	3.00
Walter A. Sawyer, watching fire	3.50
Thompson & Hoague, lock and keys	4.75
Harold S. Bickford, Carpenter fire	27.58
Pembroke Water Works, hydrant	
service	200.00
Harry Silver, insurance on fire truck	11.25
Bickford & Huckins, wood for fire	
station	9.00
William J. Hartford, watching fire	6.00
James T. Libby, watching fire	6.00
Howard Curtis, care of station house	
fire	19.00
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Detail 7 — Insurance and I	Bonding
Jackman & Lang, liability insurance Jackman & Lang, bonding town	\$293.80
officers	115.00
Harry Silver, insurance on library	F0.00
and contents, Harry Silver, insurance on tool house	50.00 18.00
	\$476.80
Detail 8 — Health Depar	rtment
Walter B. Wells, expense as Health	
Officer	\$6.77
_	\$6.77
Detail 9 — Vital Statis	stics
F. B. Argue, M. D., returning births	
F. B. Argue, M. D., returning births and deaths	\$1.75
	\$1.75 11.25
and deaths	
and deaths	\$13.00
and deaths M. C. Philbrick	\$13.00
and deaths M. C. Philbrick  Detail 10 — Bountie	\$13.00 es \$5.60
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and deaths M. C. Philbrick  Detail 10 — Bountie	\$13.00 es \$5.60
and deaths M. C. Philbrick  Detail 10 — Bountie 28 Hedgehogs	\$13.00 es \$5.60

fence 14.50  George E. Huckins, snow removal 500.00  John P. Yeaton, expense on snow fence 29.25  \$1,093.75
money 500.00  John P. Yeaton, expense on snow fence 29.25
fence 29.25
\$1,093.75
Detail 12 — Town Roads
John P. Yeaton, Agent Dist. No. 1 \$1,356.21
Eldon W. Howard, Agent Dist. No. 2 1,237.15
\$2,593.36
Detail 13 — Supplies for Office and Officers
State Board of Welfare and Relief,
supplies \$.30
Bridge & Byron, town reports and
printing 189.72
Edson C. Eastman Co., supplies 52.19
George H. Yeaton, two check books 4.00
B. D. Young, envelopes and stamps 50.60
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\$296.81

## Detail 14 — General Expense Highway Department

Carroll P. Clark, repairing tractor	\$15.00
Demers & Steele, supplies and re-	
pairing tractor	276.42
P. I. Perkins Co., parts for tractor	181.92

American LaFrance, lights	6.68	
Prison Industries	24.48	
Walter H. Quimby, repairing water-	-	
ing trough	2.00	
George H. Yeaton, repairing section		
of Mountain Road, subject to		
gates and bars	17.06	
George E. Huckins, freight	2.26	
John Boyce, blacksmith	19.75	
New England Metal Culvert Co.	39.25	
J. B. Ingham, signs	5.00	
Dyar Sales & Machinery Co.	15.06	
William E. Yeaton, trip to Concord		
for parts for tractor	2.50	
William H. Knowles, supplies	19.44	
		\$626.82
Detail 15 — Libr	arv	
	ary	
Florence L. Yeaton, library appro-	4000.00	
priation	\$320.00	
		4000.00
		\$320.00
Detail 16 — Town	Poor	
George H. Yeaton	\$2,649.91	
		\$2,649.91
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Detail 17 — County		
George H. Yeaton	\$1,345.94	
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Detail 18 — Old Age As	ssistance	
George H. Yeaton	\$662.78	
-		\$662.78
Detail 19 — Patriotic I	Purnoses	
	e arposes	
Edward B. Demers, Memorial Day appropriation	\$50.00	
-		
•		\$50.00
Detail 20 — Recrea	tion	
Blanchard H. Fowler, labor on Web-		
ster Park	<b>\$4.</b> 33	
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		<b>\$4.</b> 33
Detail 21 — Abaten	nents	
Charles M. Steele, Collector, abatemer	nts:	
Standard Oil Co., overtax	\$24.15	
Wilma Kretschmar, poll tax, left	·	
town	2.00	
Ethel Murray, poll tax, on relief	2.00	
Fred Bartlett, soldier's exemption	1.73	
Discount on 1936 taxes	147.23	
Norman H. Munroe, refund on two	/	
dead dogs	2.33	
Edwin L. Bunker, Collector, poll tax:		
Fred L. Palmer, over 70	2.00	
Lizzie Bickford, over 70	2.00	
Edward M. Hall, over 70	2.00	

Mrs. John Kyle, over 70	2.00
Cecelia Brown, paid in Concord	2.00
E. A. Beliveau, paid in Concord	2.00
George P. Little, paid in Concord	2.00
Raoul Lavallee	2.00
Hormidas Fontaine	2.00
Walter Zinn, paid in Keene	2.00
Edith Towle, paid in Chichester	2.00
Irvin Kimpton, paid in Penacook	2.00
Ira Palmer, paid in Massachusetts	2.00
Alice Clark	2.00
Bertha E. Jeffrey	2.00
Ethel Murray	2.00
Selma Sargent	2.00
Mabel Copp, claimed residence in	
some other town	2.00
Fred L. Copp, claimed residence	
in some other town	2.00
George Hibbard	2.00
Nellie Hibbard	2.00
Bessie Spring	2.00
Ernest Varney	2.00
Agnes Zinn	2.00
Leon Ordway	2.00
Robert W. Smith, moved away	2.00
Olig Houston, moved away	2.00
Myron Smith, deceased	2.00
Cecile Grenier, moved away	2.00
Henry Girard, property tax, un-	
able to pay	1.58
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#### Detail 22 — Interest

The	Suncook	Bank,	interest	on	
bri	dge note				\$79.50
The	Suncook	Bank,	interest	on	
shc	ort term ne	ote			125.00
State	of New H	ampshir	e, interest	on	
hig	hway note	:			328.63
The	Suncook	Bank,	interest	on	
$\operatorname{shc}$	ort term no	te at set	ttlement		83.33

\$616.46

#### Detail 23 — Flood Damage after June 1, 1936

Marjorie A. Yeaton, typing flood		
reports	\$2.50	
Prison Industries, R. C. pipe	156.88	
New England Metal Culvert Co.	33.25	
John P. Yeaton, 7 hours, self and		
truck	7.00	
Bickford & Huckins, Lumber, truck-		
ing and drags	30.38	
George H. Yeaton, cash paid for		
culverts, gravel, trucking and		
personal services on W. P. A.		
Project No. 814, repairing town		
roads damaged by flood	428.79	
		\$658.8

Reimbursement from State on above expense

\$544.17

Received for flood repairs expended	
previous to June 1, from State,	
proportionate share of flood dam-	
age expense	
Town spent for flood repairs prior	

Town spent for flood repairs prior to June 1

922.00

453.75

#### Detail 24 — Town Road Appropriation for Class V Improvement

State of New Hampshire	\$164.70
Prison Industries, R. C. pipe	24.48
O. C. Lombard, gasoline, oil, tools	49.70
State of New Hampshire	91.48

\$330.36

#### Detail 25 — Real Estate Bought for Taxes

Charles H. Baker	\$40.47
William J. Hines	65.01
Esther Jackman	6.28
Joseph Murray	43.75
James E. Philbrick	107.70
G. P. Wilson	222.61
Nettie Yeaton	26.29
Anderson & Wilcox	4.03
D. E. Conway and M. F. Connor	4.03
Forest Elwood	4.03
Arthur L. Foy	4.03
James W. Fowler, heirs of	4.88
Thomas C. Hillsgrove	4.03
Matilda Harrison	4.03
H. P. Hood & Sons	4.03

Herbert D. Lovejoy	13.45		
Margaret Murphy	4.03		
William J. Morgan	4.03		
W. M. Rollans	4.03		
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		\$570.74	
Detail 26 — Temporary	Loans		
The Suncook Bank	\$5,000.00		
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		\$5,000.00	
Detail 27 — Indebtedness			
State of New Hampshire, payment			
on road construction loan	\$1,736.83		
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		\$1,736.83	
Detail 28 — Payments to Other Governmental			
Divisions			
County Treasurer	\$3,381.46		
State Treasurer	2,560.00		
School District Treasurer, balance			
of appropriation for 1935	5,555.00	•	
School District Treasurer, part of			
appropriation for 1936	4,300.00		

School District Treasurer, dog li-

cense money

\$15,976.80

180.34

## REPORT OF JOHN P. YEATON District No. 1

Edward Hall	\$36.25
Albert Sherburne	17.50
Lewis Nutter	35.50
A. D. Sherburne	5.00
Francis Peaslee	4.00
H. P. Maxfield	12.45
Ernest Sullivan	7.50
Lewis Hill	37.50
Arthur Roby	12.50
Hollis Hall	7.50
Kenneth Osborne	21.25
Ryley Osborne	7.50
Simon Brown	5.00
Roscoe Kelley	17.50
E. M. Kelley	65.00
George Kelley	32.50
Frank Ferriter	7.50
Fred Palmer	1.25
George Palmer	9.00
Arthur Sullivan	14.50
John Sullivan	7.50
T. B. Langley	27.75
Watson Ambrose	33.75
Edwin Bunker	10.00
John P. Yeaton	55.50
P. G. Yeaton	17.50
H. D. Yeaton	24.00
George H. Yeaton	2.50
J. B. Yeaton	63.00
T. R. Yeaton	37.50

Carra Cata	3.70
Gove Cate	19.03
E. Bartlett	2.50
Arthur Marston	15.43
Ambrose Etheridge	11.14
E. Bellivieu	74.43
Allan Goodwin	
Albert Hideman	13.62
Charles Morrill	12.50
Mayland Ames	12.50
Orrin Merrill	15.75
Arthur Locke	20.00
F. P. Wheeler	, 17.00
Kenneth Barton	39.00
Wheeler Bros.	14.50
J. P. Yeaton	292.50
J. P. Yeaton	48.00
V. L. Pickard	1.25
Neil Reid	14.50
Arthur Stearns	5.00
C. S. Bickford	13.50
Roscoe Duplace	5.42
Karl Rand	18.00
Bickford & Huckins	42.24
Henry Clark	4.00
John Boyce	5.00
Total	\$1,356.21
R	eceipts

Receipts

Received from Town

\$1,356.21

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN P. YEATON,

Road Agent, District No. 1

## REPORT OF GEORGE H. YEATON — SNOW REMOVAL

## Receipts

Balance on hand February 1, 1936	\$45.30
Received from the Town of Epsom	550.00
	\$595.30

## $\mathbf{E}$ xpenditures

James T. Libby	\$2.40
Kidder C. Libby	2.40
Fred Palmer	1.60
Clarence T. Cox	2.00
George P. Kelley	3.60
Edward Elliott	2.00
Arthur Stearns	11.20
Maurice A. Yeaton	1.00
Percy Hall	1.60
Philip Cofran	5.00
Albert Sherburne	1.60
Grover Stevens	1.20
William J. Hines	4.40
Albert Stevens	4.50
Edward M. Kelley	.80
Watson T. Ambrose	1.20
Austin Osborn	.80
Lewis Hill	1.60
Albert F. Yeaton, sand	1.50
Harry E. Sherburne	1.60

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Ambrose Etheridge	3.60
E. A. Bellivieu	3.60
Elwood O. Wells	6.40
Arthur E. Roby	4.60
Kenneth Osborne	3.20
Riley Osborne	3.20
Ralph L. Cass	4.40
Macbeth Bartlett	.80
Roy Sargent	6.80
George E. Huckins	5.20
Elbridge M. Bartlett	3.20
Albert D. Sherburne	3.60
Edwin L. Bunker	6.15
Adin D. Munroe	5.00
Frank Jaworski	2.40
Leon Jaworski	2.40
Donald Osborn	3.20
Clarence E. Bartlett	2.25
John Drew, breaking Whitehouse Road	7.00
Everett O. Foss	5.20
Howard Curtis	2.00
Kate Etheridge, dinner for help with Allenstown	
Plow	2.25
Ernest Schmidt	3.60
Allan Goodwin	5.20
Arthur Marston	2.80
Albert Hideman	2.80
Chandler Hurd	2.80
Arthur Hurd	2.80
Kenneth Reid	2.00
Maxwell Reid	4.40
Fred Butler	14.80
Carroll P. Clark	27.00

Ernest F. Clark	12.00
Arthur H. Sullivan	22.50
George H. Haynes	32.20
John B. Yeaton	18.00
Arthur C. Locke	27.80
Ernest L. Sullivan	18.00
Ralph Stanton	14.80
Arthur A. Wells	18.40
George Stearns	14.20
Thomas R. Yeaton	8.60
Eldon W. Howard	8.80
George S. Yeaton	15.00
Everett G. Haynes	12.40
Mayland P. Ames	13.80
John P. Yeaton	15.80
Roland LaFleur	8.00
William E. Yeaton	9.80
Frank P. Wheeler	32.00
Albert J. Yeaton	6.80
Walter B. Wells	24.90
O. C. Lombard, gas and oil	40.31
George H. Yeaton	14.54
Total expenditures	\$595.30

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. YEATON

## ELDON W. HOWARD, ROAD AGENT District No. 2

## SUMMER MAINTENANCE

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Karl Rand, truck	\$103.00
Karl Rand	1.11
George Ring	3.33
Elwood Wells	27.77
Leon Jaworski	26.39
William Hartford	23.33
Leo Houston	8.89
Leo Houston, 102 loads gravel	15.30
P. Drolet, 19 loads gravel	2.85
Charles S. Bickford, truck	27.00
Calvin Menard	6.39
J. E. Philbrick, 164 loads gravel	24.60
Almon Worth	11.11
Sally Carpenter, 18 loads gravel	2.70
Charles Brock	4.44
Walter Heath	5.00
Walter Wells	5.23
Arthur Stearns	10.83
Suncook Bank, 21 loads gravel	3.15
John Howard	26.39
John Howard, team	55.39
Erwin Zinn	6.39
W. H. Knowles, tools	7.20
Ernest Clark	4.87
Grover Stevens	1.94
Silver & Young, tools	1.00
O. C. Lombard, tools	14.52

O. C. Lombard, gas for grader	1.90
Repairing grader	2.50
John Howard, team alone	66.50
E. W. Howard, rail and post	.53
Edward Elliott	19.45
Fred Butler	16.39
Bickford & Huckins, plank	46.08
Bickford & Huckins, bridge rail	2.43
. Adin Munroe	10.84
Charles Elliott, truck	80.00
Charles Elliott	13.61
Jessie Hunt	5.00
Eugene Wells	3.61
Eldon W. Howard	211.99
Maurice Yeaton, truck	97.50
Burt Ordway, 46 loads gravel	6.90
H. P. Maxfield, blasting material	10.45
Sam Haynes	7.64
James Libby	39.72
Philip Cofran	30.00
Roland LaFleur	30.00
Wesley Carpenter	8.61
Frank Little	5.83
Olaf Ring	1.67
Henry Girard	5.83
Maurice Yeaton	1.39
E. W. Howard, care of lights	.50
E. W. Howard, 2 trips to Pittsfield	2.28
George Foster	15.83
Ralph Stanton	20.28
Grover Stevens	6.39
Everett Haynes	10.00
George Haynes	3.89

William Hines	8.05
William Hines, team	7.33
Clifton Fife	3.61
George Stearns	2.50
$\operatorname{Total}$	\$1,237.15

## Receipts

Received from Town

\$1,237.15

Respectfully submitted,

ELDON W. HOWARD, Road Agent, District No. 2.

## REPORT OF GEORGE E. HUCKINS—SNOW REMOVAL

## Repairing Washouts and Sanding Roads

Albert D. Sherburne	\$6.80
Erwin Zinn	2.80
Everett Haynes	5.30
George H. Yeaton	23.30
Albert J. Yeaton, truck	7.00
John P. Yeaton, truck	56.00
Edward M. Kelley	2.50
John B. Yeaton	2.50
Maurice A. Yeaton, truck	14.00
Thomas R. Yeaton	25.50
Roseoe Kelley	4.00
Lewis Hill	4.00
Clifton Fife	1.50
Eugene Wells	1.50
Warren Hamilton	2.50
George Foster	1.50
C. M. DeRonde, 90 yards sands	9.00
Allie Bartlett	1.75
Charles Doherty, truck	4.50
Eldon Howard, agent	58.89
	\$234.84
November 24, 1936, received from town	\$500.00
Expended	234.84
Balance on hand February 1, 1937	\$265.16

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE E. HUCKINS.

#### REPORT OF GEORGE H. YEATON

## Repairing Section of Mountain Road, Subject to Gates and Bars on Request of Land Owners

James T. Libby	\$2.50
Ralph Stanton	2.50
Warren Hamilton	2.50
Mayland P. Ames	2.50
Maynard Greenwood	2.50
George H. Yeaton	3.50
Demers & Steele	1.00
	\$17.00
Received from Town	\$17.00

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE H. YEATON.

## AUDITOR'S REPORT

## Assets

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Balance in treasury	\$4,092.86
Uncollected taxes, 1936	4,054.59
State Treasurer, bounties paid	5.60
Merrimack County, aid county poor	87.81
George E. Huckins, snow removal money	265.16
177 Shares Suncook Valley R. R. stock	885.00
Land bought for taxes:	
Estate of Levi Bickford, 1930 tax sale	5.02
Estate of Levi Bickford, 1931 tax sale	6.38
Estate of Levi Bickford, 1932 tax sale	1.77
Ernest D. Menard, 1931 tax sale	26.12
James B. Osborne, 1931 tax sale	18.10
Hormidas L. Houston, 1933 tax sale	60.44
Heirs of James W. Fowler, 1933 tax sale	4.82
Heirs of James W. Fowler, 1934 tax sale	4.72
H. P. Hood & Sons, 1934 tax sale	3.84
William J. Morgan, 1934 tax sale	3.84
Charles H. Baker, 1934 tax sale	19.82
Charles H. Baker, 1935 tax sale	40.47
William J. Hines, 1935 tax sale	65.01
Esther Jackman, 1935 tax sale	6.28
Joseph Murray, 1935 tax sale	43.75
James E. Philbrick, 1935 tax sale	107.70
G. P. Wilson, 1935 tax sale	222.61
Nettie Yeaton, 1935 tax sale	26.29
Anderson & Wilcox, 1935 tax sale	4.03
D. E. Conway and M. F. Connor, 1935 tax sale	4.03
Forest Elwood, 1935 tax sale	4.03
Arthur L. Foy, 1935 tax sale	4.03
Heirs of James W. Fowler, 1935 tax sale	4.88
Thomas C. Hillsgrove, 1935 tax sale	4.03

Matilda Harrison 1935 tax sale	4.03
H. P. Hood & Sons, 1935 tax sale	4.03
Herbert D. Lovejoy, 1935 tax sale	13.45
Margaret Murphy, 1935 tax sale	4.03
William J. Morgan, 1935 tax sale	4.03
W. M. Rollans, 1935 tax sale	4.03
Total assets	\$10,116.63

#### Liabilities

Due School District, balance of 1936 appro-	
priation	\$4,229.94
Dog licenses on hand January 31, 1937	288.40
Due George H. Yeaton, relief money	257.67
Bridge note held by The Suncook Bank	1,605.16
State of New Hampshire, highway loan	6,379.02
Balance Class V money unexpended	292.81
Total liabilities	\$13,053.00
Total assets	10,116.63
Net debt of town, January 31, 1937	\$2,936.37
Decrease of debt for the year	\$3,186.35

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Clerk, Treasurer, Tax Collector, Cemetery Trustees, Trustees of Trust Funds, Library Trustees and Road Agents of the Town of Epsom, and find them correctly east and supported by proper vouchers.

LEWIS H. NUTTER, RUSSELL S. YEATON,

Auditors.

Epsom, N. H., February 15, 1937.

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF EPSOM, N. H., ON JANUARY 31, 1937.

Date of Creation	For Perpetual Care of Cemetery Lots Trust Funds — Purpose of Creation	How	How Invested	to JanomA InqipairT	Rate of Interest	Balance of Income on hand at begin- ning of year	Income during year	garing year daring	Balance of Income of year
1903	John L. Brackett, by self	In Say	Savings Bank	\$50.00	3%	\$1.98	\$1.53	\$ .50	\$3.01
1903	S. M. Chesley, by self	:	" "	50.00	:	2.65	1.56	.73	3.48
1903			" "	20.00	:	.83	1.50	1.13	1.20
1907	Mary A. Swain, by self	:	:	50.00	:	1.51	1.51	1.51	1.51
1912	Susan E. P. Forbes, by self	:		200.00	:	53.49	7.59	7.34	53.74
1915	William McMurphy, by self	:		25.00		.36	.75	.50	.61
1915	Abbie Hopkinson, by self	:	:	1,000.00	:	25.25	30.25	25.25	30.25
1915	C. F. Griffin, by self	:	:	50.00	:	.84	1.50	.93	1.41
1915	Gen. B. L. Locke, by J. L. Locke		:	20.00	:	1.09	1.53	1.13	1.49
1915	Morrill Hoyt, by Ebenezer Hoyt		:	20.00	:	1.14	1.53	1.13	1.54
1915	Mary B. L. Dowst, by self		:	100.00	:	14.07	3.42	.50	16.99
1917	Horace Bickford, by self	:	"	100.00	:	:	3.00	3.00	:
1917	Hiram A. Holmes, by self	:	:	100.00	:	25.12	3.75	2.22	26.65
1917		:	:	100.00	:	23.51	3.69	2.13	25.07
1917	Flora E. Burnham, by self		:	50.00	:	.73	1.50	.50	1.73
1917	Sarah N. Holmes	:		100.00	:	15.94	3.45	2.26	17.13
	(Som Waines Dot and Waines NOW)	:		4		i			
1916	Mary A. Evans, two lots, by seir	: :		400.00		71.31	14.13	9.93	75.52
1917	Chesley, by self		:	20.00	:	5.13	1.65	.63	6.15
1918	Cotterell, by	:		100.00	:	2.53	3.02	2.53	3.02
1918	William Sanders, by Clara A. Cotterell	:	:	20.00		1.26	1.51	1.26	1.51
1920	Eliza J. Bickford, by self	:		100.00	:	1.14	3.03	2.21	1.96

1921		ln Sa	In Savings Bank	100.00	3%	2.53	3.02	2.53	3.05
1921		:	:	50.00	:	10.55	1.80	:63	11.72
1922		:	:	50.00	:	3.88	1.59	.63	4.84
1922	John and Salome Babb, by Annie L. Towle	:	:	50.00	:	8.70	1.74	-13	9.71
1924	Hilton Goodhue, by Mrs. C. H. Kempton	:	:	75.00	:	11.47	2.58	ss.	13.17
1926	John C. and Martha Hall, by Charles S. Hall	:	:	200.00	:	34.95	7.02	2.42	39.55
1926		:	:	100.00	;	11.90	2.33	2.21	13.02
1927		:	:	100.00	:	4.63	3.12	2.42	5.53
1929	Ayers and Holmes, by John W. Yeaton and								
	E. J. Sherburne	:	:	200.00	:	12.18	6.36	4.84	13.70
1929		:	:	200.00	;	6.63	6.18	1.50	11.31
1929	Katherine A. Cook, by self	:	:	100.00	:	6.83	3.18	1.92	8.09
1931	Lawrence and Cox, by Joseph Lawrence and								
	Eva L. Cox	:	:	200.00	:	5.05	6.15		11.17
1933	Jose	:	:	100.00	:	2.97	3.06		6.03
1934	William Babb, by Charles Babb	:	:	100.00		62:	3.00	2.71	.58
1935	Augusta A. Fiske, by self	;		200.00	:	4.17	6.04	4.17	6.04
1936	Daniel S. Jones, by George E. Miller	:	:	100.00	:	:	1.00		1.00
1937	Yeaton Fund, by Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Yeaton and						-		
	Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Yeaton	:		100.00		:	:		
1924	Mary								
	iron fence at south side of McClary Cemetery	:		229.66	:	31.73	.83	1.00	38.56
	For benefit of Epsom Public Library							77 75 100	
1907		Receiv	Received in Bond	1,000.00	7%	:	40.00	₹0.00	
1916	Susan E. P. Forbes, by self	In Sa	In Savings Bank	2,000.00	60,00	:	00.09	60.00	:
1917		:	:	500.00	:	:	15.00	15.00	į
1926		:	:	200.00	,,	:	00.9	00.9	:
1929		:	:	200.00	:		6.00	6.00	i

This is to certify that the information contained in this report is complete and correct, to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ELEANORA C. NUTTER,
ARTHUR A. WELLS,
EDWIN L. BUNKER,
Trustees of Trust Funds.

Epsom, N. II., January 31, 1937.

Epsom, N. H., February 8, 1937.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Trustees of the Trust Funds of the Trwn of Epson and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

ILBWIS H. NITTEER.
RUSSELL S. YEATON.
Auditors.

#### REPORT OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES

Receipts	
Balance beginning of year	\$62.61
Received for sale of lots	45.00
Dividend January 1, 1937	2.33
Received from Trustees of Trust Funds	54.65
	\$164.59
Expenditures	
Care of lots	\$54.65
Mowing and raking McClary Cemetery and	
addition	23.00
Paid for making three deeds	3.00
Improvements	6.59
Balance in bank	77.35
	\$164.59

#### Respectfully submitted,

ELEANORA C. NUTTER, ARTHUR A. WELLS, EDWIN L. BUNKER, Cemetery Trustees.

We hereby certify that we have examined the accounts of the Cemetery Trustees of the Town of Epsom and find them correctly cast and supported by proper vouchers.

> LEWIS H. NUTTER, RUSSELL S. YEATON, Auditors.

Epsom, N. H., February 8, 1937.

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE EPSOM PUBLIC LIBRARY

The Trustees are pleased to state that during the year the library has been shingled and the cement walk completed. The Selectmen have kindly promised to cooperate in arranging a driveway and parking space at one side of the building and it is hoped the shrubbery and lawn will be completed this year.

Early in the year Mrs. Laura Y. Bickford tendered her resignation as librarian after several years of faithful, efficient service. She was induced to accept a leave of absence to December 1st. At a meeting of the Trustees in December Mrs. Bickford appeared and stated that she could not possibly continue so her resignation was accepted.

Miss Hester Bickford, who has had library training and experience, was appointed to fill the vacancy.

During the years Mrs. Bickford has been librarian she has kept the library up-to-date, has attended the Library Association and Conferences at her own expense, established a card system, called at the State Library in Concord to exchange many books that were wanted here in Epsom, and given of her time freely in many ways. During this last year when funds were available from the Federal Government to benefit libraries, she has supervised the mounting of hundreds of pictures on cards that will be of great assistance to those studying birds, animals, minerals, history, geography, etc. These pictures are now available at the library.

It is with regret that we see Mrs. Bickford giving up her activities in the library and the Trustees have passed a vote of thanks and appreciation for all she has accomplished.

It is hoped that a way may be found this year to have the library open two or three hours Saturday evenings during the summer in addition to Saturday afternoon.

The New Rye Branch is co-operating with frequent changes of books so that reading matter is available to all parts of the town during the year.

#### Respectfully submitted,

MARGERY C. YEATON, FLORENCE L. YEATON, GEORGE G. RING,

Trustees.

#### Financial Statement

### Receipts

Balance on hand January 31, 1936	\$201.45
Town of Epsom appropriation	320.00
Trustees of Trust Funds	124.80
	\$646.25
Expenditures	
Goodman's Bookstore	\$82.47
Gaylord Bros. Inc.	7.80
Major Rodd, shingles and labor	150.00
Harold Noyes, cement work	60.00
Cleaning library	10.00
Concord Electric Co.	12.44

Bank service charge	11.00
S. W. Brown, books	5.57
Literary Guild Inc.	74.00
Librarians	78.00
Janitor and labor	27.00
Magazines	8.50
Picture	1.00
Book shelves and labor	14.65
Postage and telephone	2.50
N. H. Library Association, dues	.50
	<b>\$545.43</b>
Balance on hand	100.82
	\$646.25

## Library Endowment Fund

Mary A. Evans fund	\$500.00
Benjamin F. Webster fund	1,000.00
Susan E. P. Forbes fund	2,000.00
Charles Sumner Hall fund	200.00
Warren Tripp fund	200.00
	\$3,900.00

### Report of Librarian

To the Board of Trustees of the Epsom Public Library:

The librarian respectfully submits the following report concerning the service of the library as well as its activities during the year:

#### The Year's Growth

Whole number of volumes Jan. 1, 1936		4,307
Volumes purchased	96	
Volumes received by gift	89	
Total number of accessions	185	
Volumes withdrawn	0	
Total increase for the year		185
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Total number of accessioned volumes Dec	. 31, 193	6 4,492
Number of active borrowers about		225
Number of hours open for service each v	veek	3
Adult fiction lent		3,711
Juvenile fiction lent		734
Adult non-fiction lent		540
Juvenile non-fiction lent		172
Unbound periodicals lent		613
Total circulation for year	-	5,770

The circulation for the year has been 5,770 volumes, of which 2,020 volumes were from the branch at New Rye.

Postal card notices have been sent to persons interested in special subjects. Reserve cards have been kept. Leading events in current news have been noticed by appropriate exhibits of books and pictures displayed in the library.

The librarian and assistant librarian attended the meetings of the New Hampshire Library Association, held at Colby Junior College, New London, in September.

Early in February, through the interest of the N. H. Public Library Commission and the National Youth

Administration, the library was offered the services of an N. Y. A. worker. Miss Beatrice Carter was the only eligible youth in the town available for work.

It had long been the ambition of the trustees to have a picture collection in the library, and with this in mind, duplicate copies of the National Geographic Magazine had been collected and filed away for future use. It was decided to use the picture collection for the N. Y. A. project. Miss Carter was given instruction in cutting and mounting pictures. She began work February 26, working 46 hours a month with a compensation of \$19.00. The work was carried on in Miss Carter's home.

Miss Carter completed the picture work in December, having made 70 picture sets, containing approximately 3,000 pictures. These sets have been catalogued and placed on the library shelves for use by the school children, or anyone interested in picture collections.

The only expense to the library for this N. Y. A. work has been the cardboard and paste used in mounting the pictures, costing approximately 60 cents per month. The project has been supervised by the librarian. Time report sheets have been made out every two weeks and sent to N. Y. A. headquarters.

Miss Carter has developed skill in her work and her services are greatly appreciated. She will continue with a new type of work beginning January 1, 1937, that of binding and mending worn books. Miss Carter is now working 60 hours per month with a compensation of \$21.00.

The library work has gone on in excellent order and the librarian desires to make public recognition of the ready and willing and efficient service given by the substitute librarian, Miss Hester Bickford, during the librarian's leave of absence. To the the members of the Board of Trustees, the librarian returns grateful acknowledgment for council and interest in the various forms of library activities during the past eight years.

### Respectfully submitted,

LAURA Y. BICKFORD, Librarian.

\$2.43

#### Cash Account

Cash on hand January 1, 1936

Received from	fines	2.54
		\$4.97
	Expenditures	
Paid Gilbert Kn	owles:	
For flood pic	tures	\$.50
For carnival	pictures	.60
Paste and paper	pads	.30
Postage		.17
Telephone calls		.60
Cardboard for N	N. Y. A. project	2.80
		\$4.97

Respectfully submitted,

LAURA Y. BICKFORD, Librarian.

#### REPORT OF MEMORIAL DAY COMMITTEE

The Epsom Memorial Day exercises at Grand Army Hall were preceded by a parade from the Baptist Church. The parade was led by the color bearers of John J. McGuire Post, American Legion, of Suncook, followed by the Epsom band in uniform. Others in the line of march were legion members and other ex-service men, Boy Scouts of Troop 85, and children who were to take part in the program.

At Grand Army Hall, the program was opened by Rev. H. Franklin Parker, of Chichester, who gave the invocation. Patriotic readings and selections were given by children from the Gossville, Center and New Rye schools and the band played several selections during the program. The speaker of the day was Rev. Harry Little of Barnstead.

Following the program, the company marched to the Gossville cemetery, where veterans' graves were decorated by Gossville school children. A volley was fired over the graves by the legion post, and prayers were offered by Ralph T. Osborn, pastor of the Epsom Baptist Church. Mrs. Susan D. Hayes of Pine Grove Inn, entertained the marchers in accordance with her annual custom by serving fruit punch and light refreshments.

Paid for flags Paid Silver & Young for hall \$7.20

1.00

Paid speaker	10.00
Paid Epsom Band	31.80
Total	\$50.00
Received from Town of Epsom	\$50.00

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD B. DEMERS, ALBERT J. YEATON, GEORGE H. YEATON, Committee.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF OLD HOME WEEK ASSOCIATION

Balance from 1935	\$80.48	
Received of entertainment committee	20.60	
		\$101.08
Paid Chellis Smith, speaker	\$10.00	
Paid Checker Cab Co., transportation	11.00	
Paid Luther Emerson, sound equipment	15.00	
Paid L. A. Stevens, photos and postage	3.10	
Paid F. W. Yeaton, ball game	8.30	
Paid Everett Lombard, prizes for		
boys' sports	1.40	
Paid Priscilla Wells, prizes for		
girls' sports	2.00	
Paid Riverside Poultry Farm, lunches		
for musicians	5.00	
Paid W. T. Fowler, labor	2.00	
Paid Bickford & Huckins, lumber		
(bill of 1935)	.90	
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		\$58.70
Balance on hand		\$42.38

ANNIE M. FOWLER,

Treasurer.

#### REPORT OF PARK COMMISSIONERS

Balance from 1935 Received of Town Treasurer	\$36.42 4.33
	\$40.75
Paid for labor in park	\$40.75

B. M. TOWLE,
B. H. FOWLER,
G. T. STEVENS,

Commissioners.

### REPORT OF WALTER B. WELLS, HEALTH OFFICER

Miscellaneous duties of Health Officer for year	\$5.00
Quarantining and reporting communicable dis-	φο.σσ
eases and placarding two houses	3.00
Telephone and postage	1.05
Mileage	2.72
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Total	\$11.77
Received from the Town	\$11.77

If the town's people would cooperate with your Health Officer and local Board of Health and report to them immediately, as the law requires, any suspected communicable disease, where there is no physician in attendance, it would help the disease becoming epidemic.

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER B. WELLS, Health Officer.

#### STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

#### Division of Maternity, Infancy and Child Hygiene

Visits were made to prenatal, babies and preschool children. Cod Liver Oil was given out to babies and preschool children.

HELENA P. CONNOLLY, R. N.

## FINANCIAL REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD For Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

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Received as per Treasurer's report		\$10,286.17
${f Payments}$		
Salaries of district officers	\$110.00	
Superintendent's excess salary	174.98	
Truant officer and school census	30.00	
Expenses of administration	46.18	
Teacher's salaries	3,200.00	
Text books	122.01	
Scholars' supplies	112.13	
Flags and appurtenances	19.83	
Other expenses of instruction	31.40	
Janitor service	115.00	
Fuel	118.06	
Water and janitors' supplies	35.38	
Minor repairs and expenses	144.20	
Medical inspection and health super-		
vision	200.00	
Transportation of pupils	2,339.40	
High school and academy tuition	1,626.72	
Elementary school tuition	282.75	
Other special activities	10.00	
Per capita tax	286.00	
Insurance	56.80	
Alteration of old buildings	120.10	
Payment of principal of debt	500.00	
Payment of interest on debt	40.00	
Total payments		\$9,720.94
Balance on hand June 30, 1936	3	\$565.23

## Payments in Detail

Edson C. Eastman Co., general fund record book	\$ 8.00
Pembroke Water Works, water bill	11.00
The Suncook Bank, payment on principal of debt	200.00
Harold Noyes, new chimney at Center, topping	
out chimney at Gossville	92.15
R. E. Lane, 150 enumeration cards	1.25
J. L. Hammett Co., 2 sets drawing books	3.84
James B. Osborne, transportation, 1st payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, transportation, 1st payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Helen Ambrose, cleaning Center schoolhouse	5.00
Percy Hall, labor at Center, Gossville and Short	
Falls	17.00
Thomas R. Yeaton, 3 cords wood and labor with	
truck	25.00
Watson Ambrose, one-half day labor	1.25
Ernest Sullivan, one-half day labor	1.25
Maurice A. Yeaton, graveling driveway at New	
Rye	39.20
Mrs. F. C. Fife, cleaning Gossville and Short	
Falls school	10.00
Clifton Fife, hardware and labor New Rye and	
Short Falls	9.55
Lena S. Wells, cleaning New Rye school	5.00
Holt & Brown Co., window shades for New Rye	
and Gossville school	26.44
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 1st payment	80.00
Katherine Knight, salary, 1st payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 1st payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 1st payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 1st payment	20.00

N. D. I IIII	20.00
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation 4 weeks	20.00
Ginn & Co., text books	20.86
Laidlaw Brothers, text books	11.32
Edwin L. Bunker, repair work and fuel	13.78
The Macmillan Co., text books	37.14
Webster Pub. Co., text books	5.53
Comstock Pub. Co., Inc., text books	6.27
The Arlo Pub. Co., text books	6.81
J. L. Hammett Co., flags, supplies, expenses of	
instruction	14.52
Barnes & Noble, Inc., text books	7.71
James H. Crimmins, expenses of administration	1.95
Keystone View Co., supplies	1.85
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 2nd payment	80.00
Katherine Knight, salary, 2nd payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 2nd payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 2nd payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 2nd payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 2nd payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 2nd payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation 4 weeks	20.00
E. M. Bartlett, transportation 1 high school	
pupil 6 weeks	6.00
John Boyce, janitor work (2) months	8.00
Milton Bradley Co., flags, supplies, repairs and	
expense	88.73
The Wells Pub. Co., character building books	5.00
Edward E. Babb & Co., report cards and envelopes	1.91
Houghton Mifflin Pub. Co., text books	5.60
James B. Osborne, one-half of 3rd payment	45.00
Suncook Bank, interest on note	20.00
Walter H. Tripp, insurance on buildings	56.80
	30.03

Ernest Clark, mileage and labor	3.00
Clayton F. Mason, hauling and sawing 4 cords	
wood	8.00
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 3rd payment	80.00
Katherine Knight, salary, 3rd payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 3rd payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 3rd payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 3rd payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, one-half 3rd payment	45.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 3rd payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation 4 weeks	20.00
Mrs. Annie L. Felker, superintendent's excess	
salary and expenses of administration	189.56
C. T. Patten, State Treasurer, per capita tax	286.00
Austin Cate Academy, tuition 1 pupil	26.12
J. L. Hammett Co., expense of administration	3.43
Ginn & Co., text books	1.61
Liggett Drug Co., scholars' supplies	6.23
Silver Burdett & Co., text books	1.56
Laidlaw Brothers, scholars' supplies	11.44
L. W. Singer Co., text books	8.55
American Education Press, Inc., scholars' sup-	
plies	9.60
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 4th payment	80.00
Katherine Knight, salary, 4th payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 4th payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 4th payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 4th payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 4th payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 4th payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Coe's Northwood Academy, tuition 1 pupil	30.00

Talm Dames is it an amount of months	0.00
John Boyce, janitor work 2 months	8.00
B. M. Towle, 3 7/8 cords of wood	19.38
Roland LaFleur, sawing 3 cords of wood	2.25
Elwood O. Wells, putting wood in shed	2.00
E. M. Bartlett, transportation 1 high school pupil (8) weeks	8.00
· ·	80.00
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 5th payment Katherine Knight, salary, 5th payment	80.00
	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 5th payment	
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 5th payment	80.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 5th payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 5th payment	90.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 5th payment	20.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Pembroke Water Works, water bill	11.00
Helen Ambrose, one-half janitor bill	12.50
Thomas Yeaton, hauling wood and moving organ	2.00
Edwin L. Bunker, sawing 3 cords wood, putting	0.05
in shed and repair work	8.25
Lewis Nutter, 3 cords dry wood, one-fourth cord	22.00
fitted wood	23.00
Clayton Mason, sawing and housing 3 cords wood	3.75
John Boyce, repair work	9.10
Pittsfield School District, tuition high school	12.00
Albert J. Yeaton, 2½ cords wood	17.50
Union School District, tuition high school	165.43
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 6th payment	80.00
Katherine Knight, salary, 6th payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 6th payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 6th payment	80.00
Adonia Douilette, salary, 6th payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 6th payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 6th payment	90.00

John Boyce, janitor work 2 months	8.00
Austin Cate Academy, tuition 1 pupil	26.12
Pembroke Academy, tuition first half year	578.15
Mary E. Q. Philbrick, salary as treasurer	15.00
W. B. Wells, salary as truant officer and school	
census	30.00
Warren T. Fowler, salary as school board	25.00
Millard J. Yeaton, salary as school board	25.00
Sophronia Y. Wells, salary as school board	
chairman	45.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
E. M. Bartlett, transportation 1 high school	
pupil 8 weeks	8.00
World Book Co., scholars' supplies	7.27
Laidlaw Brothers, text books	1.53
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation	10.00
Sophronia Y. Wells, postage and telephone	
charges	1.00
Elwood O. Wells, cleaning stove pipe	1.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 7th payment	20.00
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 7th payment	80.00
Katherine C. Knight, salary, 7th payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 7th payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 7th payment	80.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 7th payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 7th payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 8th payment	80.00
Katherine C. Knight, salary, 8th payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 8th payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 8th payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 8th payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 8th payment	90.00

O. C. Lombard, salary, 8th payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 20 days	44.00
John Boyce, janitor work 2 months	8.00
Jackman & Lang, bond for treasurer	5.00
E. M. Bartlett, transportation 6 weeks 1 high	
school pupil	6.00
Union School District, tuition high school	150.36
Coe's Northwood Academy, tuition 1 pupil	25.00
Edson Eastman Co., voucher and treasurer's	
reports	8.24
Laidlaw Brothers, text books	2.02
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation 4 weeks	20.00
Suncook Bank, interest on note	20.00
E. A. Bickford, repairs and expenses	2.43
Nettie H. Yeaton, salary, 9th payment	80.00
Katherine C. Knight, salary, 9th payment	80.00
Verna W. Hunt, salary, 9th payment	80.00
Margery C. Yeaton, salary, 9th payment	80.00
Adonia Douillette, salary, 9th payment	20.00
James B. Osborne, salary, 9th payment	90.00
O. C. Lombard, salary, 9th payment	90.00
Austin Osborn, transportation, 10 days	22.00
Mrs. Richard Hill, transportation 3 weeks	15.00
Pembroke Academy, tuition last half	570.40
E. L. Bunker, repairs and expenses	2.00
Helen Ambrose, janitor work	12.50
Roger Hutchins, other expenses of instruction	10.00
O. C. Lombard, repairs and janitors' supplies	6.37
Mary E. Q. Philbrick, postage and envelopes	5.61
Pittsfield School District, elementary tuition 5	
pupils	225.00
Beckley-Cardy Co., other expenses of instruction	1.25
Neal Wells, janitor work at New Rye	25.00

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300.00
4.40
3.00
2.03
54.00
3.75
10.00
3.00
5.66
10.50
1.66
8.00
20.00
17.08
90.00
90.00
20.00
80.00
80.00
80.00
80.00
22.95
20.19
9.50
25.00

Balance in hand of treasurer June 30, 1936

\$565.23

#### Liabilities

Note due the Suncook Bank

\$500.00

Respectfully submitted,

MILLARD J. YEATON,
WARREN T. FOWLER,
ELEANORA C. NUTTER,
School Board of Epsom.

#### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Epsom, of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

SOPHRONIA Y. WELLS, Auditor.

July 11, 1936.

#### REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL DISTRICT

#### Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1936

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Cash on hand June 30, 1935 \$950.83

Received from Town Treasurer:

Appropriation for current year \$9,155.00

Dog tax \$180.34

Total \$10,286.17

Less School Board orders paid \$9,720.94

Balance June 30, 1936

\$565.23

MARY E. Q. PHILBRICK, District Treasurer.

July 9, 1936.

#### Auditor's Certificate

This is to certify that I have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the Treasurer of the School District of Epsom, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1936, and find them correct in all respects.

SOPHRONIA Y. WELLS, Auditor.

July 11, 1936.

# RECORD OF ANNUAL EXAMINATION AND FOLLOW-UP WORK

Number of pupils examined 105.

Defects	Number of pupils affected		Reported to parents	Defects corrected
Underweights 10%	20		3	
Defective vision	6		6	4
Defective teeth	78			54
Adenoids	8		8	6
Enlarged glands	4	~	4	
Diseased tonsils	8		8	6

#### Cases of Communicable Diseases

Chicken pox	1
Cuteken box	1
Whooping cough	1
Infantile paralysis	1
Pediculosis	1
Skin diseases	8

## Report of Special Work

Clinics	Number treated
Dental	54
Tonsil	3
Т. В.	4

I thank the school board, the superintendent of schools, teachers, parents, and all others who have helped to promote the health work in the schools.

Respectfully submitted,

ADONIA DOUILLETTE, R.N.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

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To the School Board and Citizens of Epsom:

This year education has looked to its foundations. Three hundred years ago, Harvard College was established. In "New England's First Fruits," the Puritan historian says,

"After God had carried us safe to New-England and wee had builded our houses, provided necessaries for our livli-hood, rear'd convenient places for Gods worship and settled the Civil Government, One of the next things we longed for, and looked after was to advance Learning and perpetuate it to Posterity. . ."

One hundred years ago, Horace Mann dedicated himself to the welfare of children and the free common school, which he called "the greatest discovery ever made by man." As first Secretary of the Massachusetts State Board of Education, he founded the first Normal School in America, designated by him as "a new instrumentality in the advancement of the human race." He raised the child, the teacher, and the educational enterprise to a new dignity, saying, "In our country, and in our times, no man is worthy the honored name of a statesman, who does not include the highest practicable education of the people in all his plans of administration." At his last commencement as President of Antioch College, he left this message: "Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for humanity."

This is also the Centennial year of William Holmes Mc-Guffey, editor of the famous series of readers bearing his name. Like the New England Primer of Colonial days, his readers aimed to edify the young in lofty moral ideals. With true scientific instinct, he experimented with his selections upon actual classes before final publication. Animals (The Lion, The Lame Dog, The Arab and his Horse), Indians (Logan, Chief of the Mingoes; The Lone Indian), bad boys (Lazy Ned, and others "mischievous" or "passionate," and even Meddlesome Matty), as well as truthful George, industrious Mary Dow, and the Just Judge, are still vividly remembered by citizens of an older school generation.

In McGuffey's day, "The Dunce" still survived, a "sad, sad sight," branded, humiliated, condemned, whom "no one loves." Knowledge of child nature and the workings of the human mind in general have progressed far since that time, or rather returned closer to the source of Charity. Now we seek the origins of behavior in difficulties that can often be removed by remedial treatment in reading and other school subjects, as well as intelligent provision for normal activities in home and community. In Epsom, one of the most modern and scientific reading systems was installed in the lower grades this year. This will be gradually extended. Teachers have been furnished with special reference books and materials in remedial reading, and the special help of experts has been sought in individual cases. It is our aim to transfer some of the burden from the weak to the strong. efforts are already showing a measure of success.

The adequacy of our school buildings can help in this improvement. All four buildings now in use have been wired for electricity through the kindness of the Parent-Teacher Association, the Community Club, and other interested citizens. Short Falls and Center Hill school-houses both have space within the building for septic

toilets. At least one of these should be installed during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER W. DOE,
Superintendent of Schools.

February 10, 1937.

#### HONOR ROLL OF ATTENDANCE FOR ONE YEAR

Center School: Robert Demers, Kathleen Demers, Albert Glenn Yeaton, Catherine Yeaton.

Gossville: Albert J. Yeaton, Myra Palmer, Phylis Yeaton. New Rye: Carroll Stevens, Neal Wells, Elizabeth Hines, Olga Yeaton.

Short Falls: Malcolm Arnold.

### High School Pupils, 1935-36

Austin-Cate Academy: Gregory Hurd IX.
Coe's Northwood Academy: Mabel Palmer X.

Concord: Dorothy Bartlett XI, Charles Butler X, Louise Huckins X, Melvin Wilson X, Elbridge Bartlett IX.

Pembroke Academy: John Davis XII, Ethel Osborne XII, Frank Jaworski XII, Ruth Davis XII, George Frost XI, Phyllis Hunt XI, Evelyn Smith XI, Priscilla Wells XI, Philip Cofran X, Roland Drolet X, Barbara Skinner X, Olive Osborne X, Frances Rogers X, Stephen Lombard X, Natalie Wells X, Barbara Sherburne IX, Henry Dowst IX, Keith Rand IX, Solange Drolet IX, Frances Ambrose IX.

Pittsfield: Charles Sargent IX.

## Proposed Calendar for 1937-8

Sept. 7—Nov. 24 11 weeks and 2 days Nov. 29—Dec. 22 3 weeks and 3 days

Jan. 3—Feb. 18 7 weeks Feb. 28—Apr. 22 8 weeks May 2—June 17 7 weeks

Total 37 weeks

Schools to be in session 180 days, less institutes.

# GRADUATION EXERCISES OF EPSOM GRAMMAR SCHOOL

I. O. O. F. Hall, June 17, 1936

## PROGRAM

Selection Pembroke Academy Orchestra
Invocation
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Address of Welcome
The Light A Pageant of Educational Progress
Light of Education Louise Simonne Hill
Light of Health Marian Amelia Stone
Light of Training for Vocations
Regina Ellen Rosalie Hill
Light of Knowledge Virginia Laura Wells
Light of the Home Blanch Lorraine Skinner
Light of Good Citizenship Arlene Flora Ambrose
Light of Leisure
Light of Good Character Mary Frances Nutter
Light of World Fellowship Mildred Mae Sullivan
Patrons of World Fellowship
Richard Aaron Noyes, Olga Estella Yeaton,
Albert Glenn Yeaton
Class Will Blanch Lorraine Skinner
Farewell Address Marian Amelia Stone
Class Ode
Presentation of Diplomas
Chester W. Doe, Superintendent
Selection
Reception

Parts Awarded by Vote of the Class

## ORDER OF MARCHES

1.	Welcome Marian Stone and Mary Nutter
2.	Class Colors Glenn Yeaton and Mildred Sullivan
3.	Our Motto Theodore Yeaton
4.	Memories Hazel Clark and Regina Hill
5.	March of 1936 Arlene Ambrose and Louise Hill
6.	National Emblem Richard Noyes and Olga Yeaton
7.	Au RevoirBlanch Skinner and Virginia Wells

Class	Motto	"Work to Win"
Class	Colors	. Green and Gold
Class	Flower	Yellow Rose
Class	President	Arlene Ambrose
Class	Secretary	Mary Nutter
Class	Marshal	Theodore Yeaton

Statistics for the Year Ending June 30, 1936

Pupils not absent nor tardy	+	ಣ	+	-
Visits by citizens	60	82	14	99
Visits by school board	េា	-	-	Н
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No. of tardinesses	69	38	10	13
Рет сері от аттепдалсе	9.96	94.63	94.92	94.48
Атегаде тетрегship	31.84	25.53	18.50	23.74
ээнэгдг дүйд эргизс	1.08	1.37	£6:	1.31
Arerage daily attendance	30.76	24.16	17.56	22.43
No. of half-days absence	381	624	350	455
Zo. of half-days attendance	10,769	8,432	6.498	7,782
No. of half-days school in session	350	349	347	347
in the state Girls	3. 23.	18	11	oo
Boys No. of pupils not registered elsewhere	10	10	6	17
(e) From a private school in the state	0	0	0	0
(b) From another public school in the state	ÇI	-	П	¢1
(a) From another school in the district	0	0	0	0
Whole number of pupils registered	37	55	21	27
EPSOM SCHOOLS 1935-36	Center	Gossville	New Rye	Short Falls

### REPORT OF EPSOM VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

### Year Ending January 31, 1937.

I submit the following report of the Epsom Volunteer Fire Department. Another year of progress has been made by the members. We have increased our membership and most members are present at each meeting. There have been twelve regular monthly meetings. We have had but one serious fire, while the others were chimney or minor fires. Our alarm system by telephone has worked out well, and the men respond faithfully.

With the co-operation of the Chichester Department we sponsored a winter carnival which added materially to our funds. We have bought necessary equipment again this year.

There is a great need for a portable pump for use outside of hydrant service. I would recommend before another year that a portable pump should be purchased. Money for this should be raised by the town.

During a serious fire in Chichester, we co-operated, using our apparatus, making a total of 14 calls made during this year.

We have purchased the following new equipment:

I Booster hose reel	\$17.00
1 Hose connection	6.27
Paint	1.40
Badges	11.08

Respectfully submitted,

CLARENCE E. BARTLETT, Chief.

Births Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year Ending December 31, 1936.

Birthplece of Mother	Epsom Epsom Charles Epson Newport, R. I. Epson Waterford, Vt. Troy Suncook England Milton Loudon
Birthplace of Father	Epsom ——— Epsom ——— Epsom ——— Epsom ——— Conord ——— Conord ——— Control ————————————————————————————————————
Residence Occupation of Father	Epsom         Carpenter         Epsom           Epsom         Farmer         Epsom           Epsom         Truck chiver         Epsom           Epsom         Truck chiver         Littlero           Epsom         Handyman         Concord           Epsom         Painter         Success           Epsom         Medhanic         Alexand           Epsom         Parmer         Success           Epsom         Truck driver         Epson           Epsom         Truck driver         Epson
Color of parents  Pesidence parents	Epsom — Epsom
Maiden name of Mother	Allenstown Raymond Lyman M L   6 W Fred C. Fife Epestine Montminy Epsom Epsom Marjorie Pauline F L   3 W Mayland P. Ames. Ada C. Wheeler Epsom Pittsfield John Robert M L 1 W John R. Brown Celfa C. Mason Epsom Episom Pittsfield Nancy Jean
Name of Father	Fred C. Fife —— Enestine Montminy Mayland P. Ames. Ada C. Wheeler — Harry E. Sherburne, Edyth M. Johnston Jolon R. Brown — Celia C. Mason — Genger F. Howe — Kathleen M. Hunt Frank W. Sawyer — El'zabeth R. Morii Frank W. Sawyer — Bertirec Lavallee Henry Girard — Bertirec Lavallee Austin Osborn — Evyn Osborne — Maurice A. Yeaton — Nettie P. Holmes Guy V. Pike —— Charla E. Maxfiel
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Name of child (if any)	Marjorie Pauline  Marjorie Pauline John Robert Namcy Jean Herbert Richard Allison Hale David Holmes Guy Vinton
Place of birth	Allenstown Jacobson Concord Co
Date of birth	1927 May 30 1936 Jan. 26 Apr. 13 Apr. 24 May 23 June 17 July 3 Aug. 15 Dec. 3

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. C. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year Ending December 31, 1936.

Name, residence and official station of person by whom married	2 Rev. Ralph T. Osborn Epsom	1 Rev. Jeseph P.C. Johnson Pittsfield	1 Rev. Lewis D. Buro Northwood	2 Rev. H. Franklin Parker Chichester	1 Rev. F. J. A. Dlong Catholic Priest Manchester	2 Rev. Ralph T. Osborn Epsom	1 Rev. Guy E. Mark Concord
Occupation	Farmer Home RR vardman	Home Farmer Domestic	Domestie — Carpenter — Housewife — Laborer —	Housewife Carpenter Housewife	Farmer Home Farmer	Home Farmer Housewife Farmer	Domestic —— Farmer —— Home —— Teamster —— Home
Birthplace of parents	Amherst, Va Scotland Epson	Epping Epping Pritsfield Nashua	Pittsfield MahoneB'y,Can. MahoneB'y,Can. MorisForks,N.Y.	Concord	Canada Canada England	England	Chichester Epping Pittsfield E. Concord
Names of parents	Edmund W. Cox Janctte Crawford Bert, O. Piper	Edith G. Hopkinson  Myron B. Kimball  Lizzie E. Clark  Cyrus G. Weleh	Addie B. Loek John D. M. Zink Ada M. Morsman Charles Greenwood	Hazel Chandler James W. Sawyer Ellen L. Simpson George J. Morin		Mabel Mogg	Eugenia E. Merrill — Myron B. Kimball— Lizzie E. Clark — Ira S. Frost — Emma L. Newton —
Place of birth of cuch	Amherst Co., Virginia —— Enning	EpsomChichester	Mahone Bay Canada	Coneord	Canada	Epsom Epsom	
Oecupation of groom and bride	W Farmer	W Teamster W Domestic	W Salesman — W Home	W Mechanic	لا	W Painter	W Teamster Epsom
Age Color	55 W		24 W 24 W	44 W 30 W		57 II 57 II	25 W
Residence of each at time of marriage	Epsom Epsom		Epsom Epsom	Epson 4	nd	Epsom Epsom	Epson set. Loudon
Name and surname of groom and bride	John W. Cox		Northwood Alton D. Zink	Chichester_ Frank W. Sawyer	June 9 Manchester Mosie Murphy	George H. Haynes	Concord Ira Fred Kimball
Place of marriage	Epsom	Epsom	Northwood		Manchester	Epsom	Concord -
Date of marriage	1936 Jan. 1	Feb. 15	Mar. 25	May 2	June 9	June 27	June 29

Rev. H. Franklin Parker	Chichester	Rev. Ralph T. Osborn	Epsem		Samuel Green, J.F. Manchester		2 Rev. Ralph T. Osborn	Epsom		Kev. Luther M. Keniston   Wilmot		Boy H Franklin Parker	Chichester		Rev. Ralph T. Osborn	Epsom		Rev. Hooper R. Goodwin	Tilton	Bon C I Couton	Chichester		Rev. Harry F. Shook	Concord	
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Machinist -			Domestic RR conduct'r		Stone mason Housewife		Machinist	Housewife		Farmer	Farmer	Housewife	Domestic	Steam fitter	Merchant	Housewife		Shoe worker	Home	At home	Housewife	B'acksmith	Housewife	Homemaker Blacksmith	Homemaker
Gilsum		Tidnish, N. S	Tidnish, N. S.—Charlestown, Ms.	Italy Cross, N.S.	Berthier, P. O.	Johnsville, N. B.	Old Town, Me	Cambridge, Ms. Berwick, N. S.	New Ross, N. S.	Sandusky, O.—— BattleCr'k Meh	Dover	Danbury	Deerfield	Somerside, P. Q.		Lowell, Ms. ——— Roston Ms.		Foxboro, Ms	Belfast, Me Franklin	Maine Borrenty Mc		Salisbury	Andover Nebraska	EpsomConcord	Groton
r Loiselle	George Skinner	Urban Read	Susan Webb	ida M. Brady	Rose Blais	Daniel Sullivan	George H. Frederick	Helen J. Buchanon	worth	Charles A. Keid ———	ohn. V. Ford	Martha J. Walker ——	da C. Hartford	William McLeod	Greene W. Ingalls	Dora O. Basford	Sarah C. Powers	Raymond Hewins	Stella MacFarland		Read	Jyses Minard	Mary Burbank	Leola Tripp	Permelia Plummer
Oscar	George Meary	Orba	Susan Wm.	Ida	Rose	Dan Fles	Georgia.	Osca	Mar	2 E	John	Mar	Ida	Will	Gree	Dora			Albe	Ruby Louis	Jenn	E D	Mar Olaf	Leola Joseph	Perm
Grantham	Colchester, Vt.	Amherst, N. S.	Allston, Ms		P. O.	Johnsville,	Boston, Ms.	Roxbury, Ms		Battle Creek, Mich.	Danbury	Concord		Bangor, Me	Syracuse, N.Y.	Gloncester.	Mass.	Brockton, Ms.	Northfield	Beroult Me	Total transmi	Salisbury	Epsom	Concord	
W Clerk	Bookkeeper	Clerk	Domestic	ŗ	w Engineer	W Laundress	W Machinist	W Gen. office	-	Laborer	W Housework	W Laborer		Sales lady	Tel. emp. —	Ноше		Salesman	W Pipe factory	W Farmer	1 777777	W Home	W Insurance	W Bookkeeper	•
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W. Concord	Epsom	Allston, Ms.	Allston, Ms.	S. Constitution of the second	COSSVIIIC	Manchester .	Dedham, Ms	Mattap'n, Ms.	E	Epsom mega	Danbury	Epsom	•	Epsom	Somerv'le, Ms.	Malden, Ms.		Epsom	Concord	London		Epsom	Epsom	Concord	
I	Helen M. Skinner	D. Read	Grace A. Patterson			Florence Sullivan	Theodore E. Frederick Dedham, Ms	Marion M. Davis	A Doile	n A, near	Rilla M. Ford			Bernadme C, Locke	Stanley W. Ingalls	Dora W. Carr		T	Grace Deragon			Victoria Minard	-	Helen J. Belrose	
ohn E	elen I	orne 1	race /	2,10	erine	lorene	heodo.	arion	400000	emier	illa M	eorge		ernadı	anley	ora W		rthur	race	avhar		ctoria	oward	elen J	
Aug. 8 Epsom John E. Loiselle	H	Epsom Lorne D. Read	Ü	Arre 18 Mondroofon Analys C Design	Mailcheadel	E .	Sept. I EpsomT	M	C. Danhuma	So. Danbury Memerin A, Neu	R	Oct. 2 Chichester George L. Steams		ň	Oct. 10 Epsom St	Ď		Nov. 5 Tilton Arthur Hewins	ਹੱ	Dec. 2 Chichester Maynard Greenwood		V	7 Concord _ Howard T. Ring	Н	
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I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

M. C. PHILBRICK, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Epsom for the Year Ending December 31, 1936.

	Maiden name of mother	Irene D. Marden Irene D. Freach Namey I. Caverly Edyth M. Johnston Hamnah Watson Mary Dowst Dollah Adams Lurra A. Smith Mary Langley Nancy Ewer Sarah Montague Lovina Heath Abbie L. Merserve Carrice E. Page Roxanna Rollins Christine Ross Mary Morine Abb e J. Cotton
	Name of father	Chichester Erwih Zinn Irene D. Marden Pittsfeld Charles Watchen Irene D. Foreth Strafford Charles Watchene Irene D. Foreth Strafford Charles Watchlone Edyth M. Johns Northwood Bonjanin Hall Mary Dowst Chanda Jesch Mary Dowst Chanda Jesch Mary Dowst George A. Palmer Jurra A. Smith Deerfield Willard B. Moore. Mary Langley Dorange W. Mathanie Briggs - Nancy Ewer Nova Scotia Frantos Frost Joyna Heath Strafford Banes L. Wells Moriague Orange Ruths Baker Lovina Heath Strafford Annex E. W. Alton Gonzold Mannes L. Wells Moriague Concord Annex E. W. Alton Charles H. Foss Boxanna Rolins Scotland William McLane Christine Ross Pt. Metway, N.S. Luke R. Plumb Mary Morine Greenland, Ms.— Hann B. Haynes—Abbe J. Corton
Place of birth	Mother	
Place	Father	Gernany — Chichester. Barrington— Epson Pttsfeld — Brookline Connela — Connela — Connela — Corange — Pertsfeld — Deerfield — Derrifeld — Derrifeld — Pritsfeld — Pritsfeld — Pritsfeld — Pritsfeld — Brookline Wass — Scotian
	Occupation	Homemaker Chickester Chickester Chickester Chickester Chickester Chickester Chickester Chickester Epsom Patrington Epsom Patrington Canada Bookine Canada Cana
pi	Single, mar. or widowed	ASSERBERES SE
Sex and Condition	Color	######################################
	Place of Dirth	Concord   Figure   Concord   Figure   Concord   Figure
Age	Months	2 2 11.3 2 2 2 11.3 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1
4	Years	119 119 119 119 119 119 119 119 119 119
	Name and surname of deceased	Stillborn daughter — Daniel C. Waterhouse*   Daniel C. Waterhouse* Stillborn daughter — Stillborn daughter — Stillborn daughter — Joseph Murray, Jr. Frederick L. Palmer Harrison W. Moore — Harrison W. Moore — Harrison W. Wells — Ster Ella M. Duplace — Lillie M. Wells — Edward M. Sawyer — Myrie E. Sanborn — Myrie E. Sanborn — Everett O. Foss — d. Lizzle Worth* — Lovetta R. Rand — Lovetta R. Rand — Lovetta R. Rand — Sann B. Haynes —
	Place of death	Concord   Conc
	Date of death	1936 Jan. 30 Jan. 30 Jan. 31 Peb. 33 Peb. 19 Peb. 27 P

\*Brought to Epsom for Interment.

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